GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL AND MINES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2379
ANSWERED ON:30.07.2002
APPROVAL OF GREENFIELD PROJECT BY CIL
SUBODH MOHITE

Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Coal India Ltd. has approved six large greenfield projects for future for off take of power-grade coal by SEB`s and NTPC;

(b) if so, the details of the projects cleared so far;

(c) whether these projects will be allotted to private sector;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL AND MINES AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW & JU
(SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. CIL Board has approved the following new large projects (costing Rs.100 crores and above) which are now in different stages of approval by the Government. These projects are proposed to meet the coal demand of power projects being promoted by NTPC, M/s. HINDALCO and of Hirma STPS being promoted by M/s Reliance Power and Power Trading Corporation of India Ltd. Details of these projects are given below:-

Sl. No.	Name of Company	Project/Coal (mty)	Capacity	Estimated capital (Rs. crores)
1.	Krishnashila OC	(NCL)	4.00	785.11
2.	Bhubaneswari OC	(MCL)	10.00	764.26
3.	Kulda OC	(MCL)	10.00	806.20
4.	Garjanbahal OC	(MCL)	10.00	595.22
5.	Basundhara West OC	(MCL)	2.40	194.21
6.	Kaniha OC	(MCL)	3.50	287.34

(c) to (e): No, Sir. These projects will be developed by Coal India Limited themselves through the subsidiary companies.